



HEALTH ORDER

By the Dutchess County Commissioner of Health To Address the Influenza (Flu) Vaccine Shortage

As the Commissioner of Health for the County of Dutchess, New York, and in recognition of the sudden national flu vaccine shortage, I hereby mandate that no influenza (flu) vaccine be administered to any individual in the County of Dutchess who does not meet the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's guidelines (attached), that describe the populations which are identified as being at high risk for severe complications from influenza. This mandate shall be in effect until further notice. This order shall be posted at each and every flu vaccination site within the County of Dutchess.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Michael C. Caldwell".

Michael C. Caldwell, MD, MPH

10/08/04

Date